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Remarks

Claims 62-95 were initially pending in the subject application. In the Office Action of September 18, 2002, the Examiner issued a restriction requirement in this matter. By way of this response, Applicant hereby elects, without traverse, Group I (claims 62-81) drawn to methods for treating products, and Species B which encompasses biologic products. Favorable consideration of the claims in view of this response is earnestly solicited.

Attached is a Revocation of Power of Attorney or Authorization of Agent and a Power of Altomey or Authorization of Agent signed by the inventor for the subject application.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 or 1.17 as required by this paper to Deposit Account No. 19-0065.

Applicant invites the Examiner to call the undersigned if clarification is needed on any of this response, or if the Examiner believes a telephonic interview would expedite the prosecution of the subject application to completion.

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